

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Small Entity)**

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Docket No.  
114309-1007

In Re Application Of **Gerald Horn**

Application No. 09/854,414	Filing Date May 10, 2001	Examiner Z. Fay	Customer No. 24573	Group Art Unit 1614	Confirmation No. 7675
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Invention: **OPHTHALMIC FORMULATIONS COMPRISING IMIDAZOLINE**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of April 13, 2005 in the above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month    ☐ Two months    ☒ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: July 13, 2005    until: October 13, 2005  
*Date*    *Date*

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

The fee for the extension of time is \$510 and is to be paid as follows:

☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-1818

☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 02-1818

☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

**WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.**

*Signature*

Thomas C. Basso (46,541)  
Cust. No. 29175

Dated: October 11, 2005

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October 11, 2005  
*(Date)*

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